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- Response to the Restriction Requirement and Election of Species for the subject patent application.
- Amendment

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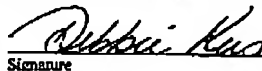
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Requirement for election among species identified by the Examiner in her Action mailed September 27, 2004, Applicants responds herein. Amendment to correct error in the claims is filed concurrently herewith to aid in examination on the merits.

I. Mandatory election

As required by Rule 35 U.S.C §121, Applicants elect figure 2b with traverse.

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